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ADVERTISING
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Results.

PRICE, ONE CENT.

APPLICANTS FOR NEW TRIALS HAVE BAD DAY IN FAYETTE COUNTY.

Four Applications Refused by Judge Umbel—Many Fire Insurance Companies Affected.

CORPORATIONS LOSE OUT.

Verdicts in Favor of A. Overholt & Company and Former Exchange Hotel Proprietors Sustained—Railroads Must Also Pay Damages—Other Court Routine.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 2.—Several applicants for new trials received scores from Judge Umbel this morning at a session of court. These were handed down, as a rule, in long decisions, wherein every detail was commented upon. In the 41 cases brought by A. Overholt & Company against various insurance companies to recover for the destruction of the warehouse at Broad Ford and 14,000 barrels of whisky, in which verdicts for the plaintiffs were returned, new trials were refused. Judge Umbel gave a history of the cases. One point commented upon was that the clause in the policies giving insurance companies the right to replace the damaged goods could hardly have been taken advantage of by the defendants, as it would be practically impossible for the insurance people to replace 14,000 barrels of whisky of an acre attained by some of the damaged goods. Judge Umbel found that there are not sufficient grounds to warrant a new trial being awarded the defendants.

In the insurance cases of D. J. Johnson and C. H. Gorley, former proprietors of the Exchange Hotel, new trials were also refused. The plaintiffs were awarded verdicts when the cases were tried. The out-of-town guests present were Harry McDonald, Mrs. H. J. Bell, R. S. Henry, A. J. Wurtz, R. J. Morningstar and P. C. Moore.

AN ADJUSTMENT

Between J. R. Smith and Gilmore Coke Company—Smith Gets \$165,000 for His Coking Coal.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 2.—The differences between James H. Smith of Smithfield and the Gilmore Coke Company over the sale of coal in Georges township have been adjusted. Seven months ago about 60 acres of coal was sold by Smith to the Gilmore people at the record breaking price of \$2,800 an acre. Later there was dispute over the survey. Smith held out for \$175,000 for the coal, while the Gilmore people, after a survey, stood pat on \$163,000. Thismorning both sides agreed upon \$165,000 for the coal.

41ST ANNIVERSARY

Is Celebrated New Year's Night by Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hyatt at Marietta Hotel.

The 41st wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hyatt was celebrated Tuesday evening at the Marietta Hotel, a large number of friends and relatives being present to pay homage to the guests of honor. The dinner was prepared by Harry MacIntyre, proprietor of the hotel, who is the son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Hyatt. An excellent feast was served.

Those who attended were Mr. and Mrs. Allan Hyatt and two daughters, Cora and Edith; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Marietta, Mr. and Mrs. William Duff and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Seeson, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Grey, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Stillwagon, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Marietta, Roger Marietta, Rockwell Duff and Miss Marion Gleichert.

LOCAL ARMY.

Col. Reid Will Consult Members of State Commission in Philadelphia—To Attend Governor's Banquet.

Colonel J. M. Reid will leave this afternoon to attend the Governor's dinner at the Bellevue Stratford in Philadelphia tomorrow night. Colonel Reid is on Governor Pennypacker's staff. While in Philadelphia he will have a talk with the members of the State Army Commission, and will learn something definite in regard to its plans concerning Connellsville.

The Atlantic Refining Company has entered suit against Washington township to recover \$725 damages as the result of an accident to J. R. Davenport, one of the company's drivers, on January 13, 1904. Davenport was driving a wagon which fell from a narrow part of a road in the township, over a precipice. Two horses were killed and the wagon damaged in the accident.

There is considerable opposition to the proposed transfer of the license of the Monongahela House at Brownsville from James S. Rush to David J. Provance, who bought the hotel at a recent sheriff's sale. John Krepps, who owns the building, is opposed to



Housekeepers may believe in the new labels after this.

FIGHT WITH BURGLAR.

Mrs. W. A. Myer of Scottdale Struggles With Robber in Dead of Night.

SOUGHT TO REACH REVOLVER.

Wakened to Find Lights Turned Off and a Revolver Muzzle Pressed Against Her Forehead—Blade in Mouth—Brave Struggle, but Was Struck Unconscious—Were Robbed Before.

SCOTTDALE, Jan. 2.—With the removal of the muzzle of the revolver that was being pressed against her forehead by a burglar, Mrs. William Myer of Pine Tree awoke from her bed and quickly struggled with the burglar in the darkness, trying to reach a revolver that lay on the man's telephone. After a brief contest the man struck her a blow that rendered her unconscious and escaped from the house taking with him \$16. The gold watch which had been given Mrs. Myer by her husband for a Christmas gift and in which she was most concerned was left on the dining room table, while a coat and letters were strewn about outdoors.

This exciting incident occurred, Mrs. Myer's says, shortly after the telephone was turned on yesterday morning. She remained unconscious from the blow, or partly unconscious for a couple of hours, and was brought entirely round again by the burglar who, she says, had been bitten by the cold from the door being left open when she awoke.

Mrs. Myer, who is the wife of William Myer, Ward Conable, in the Second Ward, and a sherman at No. 1 plant of the American Steel & Tin Plate Company, is a husky and determined woman, but the experience of the night affected her considerably. She telephoned for her husband and he came home immediately from work but no one has been out of her assailant.

Mr. Myer's turn stopped at 11 o'clock and Mrs. Myer waited up for him. When he did not come at that time she thought that he was working double turn and not off. Their four children were sleeping on the other side of the house and the lights were left burning. Mrs. Myer says that she was awakened at the noise and turned to the coming of the New Year. She soon fell asleep, but was aroused again by someone calling about her pillow, the lights being turned out. Thinking that her husband had come home she asked what he had turned out the lights for. At that she felt a revolver pressed against her forehead and she was ordered to keep quiet. With this she felt the watch and money taken from under her pillow. Then the revolver was taken away from her head. She jumped from the bed and tried to reach her husband's revolver that lay on the man of course. She is not a woman given to screaming and besides she felt that it would not bring help and might wake the children and put them in danger. Mrs. Myer made a brave struggle, but the robber gave her a heavy blow that rendered her unconscious.

If Mrs. Myer had reached the man she would have been disappointed in the finding of the revolver. The one that had fair there was evidently the one that the burglar used since it was found lying nearby and a pick of visiting cards that had lain beside the revolver on the mattole had been swept

THUMBS DOWN.

A GREAT RECEPTION.

Over 3,000 Persons Attended the Open House at the Y. M. C. A.

LIBRARY REPORT.

Owing to the Holiday Season the Month of December Always Shows a Falling Off.

Attracted Many at Night, While Over 1,000 Persons Visit Handsome New Building During the Afternoon. Credit to All Committees and Workers.

If there ever was any doubt as to the popularity of the Young Men's Christian Association in Connellsville, that doubt must certainly have been removed yesterday and last night when this town and community gave the most interesting evidence of its very high standing in the children's department, especially in the children's department, in particular every day, but lack of funds makes it impossible to supply this demand. The shelves for the little readers are empty most of the time and many an eager little tot must be put off with the promise that perhaps tomorrow there may be a book that will be suitable for it to read.

Following is the report in detail:

Category	Adult	Juvenile
Current works	14	1
Philosophy	11	—
Science	10	27
Sciences	31	17
Philately	—	187
Philanthropic	3	—
Political science	16	81
Portraiture	29	—
Fine arts	21	35
General literature	81	298
Play	25	77
History	37	7
Short story	51	51
Fiction	129	1,170
Total	428	1,915
Grand total	6,628	3,343
Notation percentage, 43.		
Picture percentage, 60.		

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Almost 1,000 attended in the afternoon by actual count and when the evening hours were passed the people came in such numbers that it was impossible to count them. When 1,000 was reached the attempt to count

was given up and a conservative estimate placed the number of happy people at 2,500, making over 3,000 for the day. The Board of Directors, Trustees, Ladies' Auxiliary and the employed officers have given a reason to be pleased with their efforts. Not

to be outdone nor an unpleasant incident occurred to mar the pleasure of the day.

The contests in the gym were viewed by a quieted gallery that cheered the contestants lustily. The exercises were given in toasts and the crowd moved to allow others to get a view of the fun. The relay races of the Juniors Department were among the most exciting of the day. The dark blues won the race and the plums and greens were in second place. The light blue team of the Intermediate Class won the dash with the dark blues. The first half was won in the lead 20 to 13, and finished the game with a lead of 24 to 20.

The best played volley ball game of the session delighted the great crowd that visited the gym to its capacity. It was won by the Seniors, whose appetite for blood had been whetted by a drinking which they recently received from the Business Men's Class. They were on their mettle and returned the compliment with interest. The Business Men lead the first half, closing it with a score of 50 to 30, but on its account he released them. The women came up to the net in the last half with a spiritless service which simply outclassed them. The Business Men say they will pay back the score later. The final score was 100 to 80 in favor of the Seniors. They have not played four contest games in which each have won two and it will be a hot tie when the tie is played off.

The music furnished by S. F. Dool's orchestra was of a high class. We prophesy that the result of yesterday's effort will net the Association scores of new members and a still larger place in the hearts of the public.

FRENZIED FROM CONSTANT PAIN MRS. MARCUS MARIETTA SUICIDES.

Had Suffered Great Agony Constantly for Two Days from Hemorrhages of the Stomach.

SHE TOOK CARBOLIC ACID.

Absence From Room Was Not Noticed at First and Later Investigation Resulted in Finding Her Dead—Had Been Ill for the Past Two Years and at Times Suffered Great Pain.

MOORE RESIGNS.

Leaves Dawson Bank to Become General Sales Agent for the Pickands-McGee Interests.

Philip C. Moore has resigned his position as bookkeeper at the First National Bank of Dawson, and will on February 1, remove to Pittsburgh, where he will become General Sales Agent for the Pickands-McGee Coke Company. His successor at the bank has not been chosen. His resignation there will take effect January 15, after which he will remove to the East End, Pittsburgh. The sales office will be established in the Erie building annex. Mr. Moore is quite a young bright man for the position. He entered the coke business with the Washington Coal and Coke Company as bookkeeper in 1897, and there secured a good knowledge of it. He was made shipping clerk in 1901 and entered the Dawson bank in 1904.

During his connection with the Washington Coal and Coke Company he acquired some coke interests, and is at present a large stock holder in the Consolidated Connellsville Coke Company, in which Pickands-McGee have large interests. This company is claimed to be the fourth largest independent producer of the Connellsville region and Mr. Moore will have charge of its coke sales in connection with other plants of the Pickands-McGee company.

DAN CUPID BUSY.

The Year 1906 Was a Banner One for Marriage License in Fayette County, 1,437 Being Issued.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 2.—The year 1906 was a banner one for Dan Cupid in Fayette county. In all there were 1,437 licenses granted against 1,328 in 1905 and 1,164 in 1901. The number of licenses issued in the county has shown a steady increase ever since the present law went into effect in 1883.

The increase was not so great in 1906 over the previous year of 1905 but it was substantial, nevertheless. The average is a fraction over four licenses issued every week day.

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Mrs. Marietta, 53 years of age, the daughter of Benjamin and Eliza McKinney old residents of Connellsville. On July 7, 1886, she married James Marcus Marietta. Three young children, Benjamin, Robert and Bole, survive. Mr. Marietta is almost prostrated with grief over the terrible affair. It was with difficulty that he could talk of the matter this morning and then only in broken sentences, tears streaming down his cheeks.

Relatives and neighbors were prompt in offering assistance and aid in attending to the many painful details. Mrs. Marietta was well known in Connellsville.

BAND EQUIPMENT.

For Local Boys Arrives for Service in the Guard.

The regimental band equipment arrived in town Tuesday afternoon from Latrobe and has been stored in the band room. This includes music, band outfit, uniforms, belts, etc.

The band is in good shape and the boys are greatly pleased with present prospects. It is expected that the band will be mustered in within a few days.

Chief Muselman, J. W. Butterman and Major Richard Coulter were at Latrobe a few days ago checking up the material.

TO BEGIN OPERATIONS.

Large Coal Tract in Washington County to Be Developed.

The Youngstown Sheet & Tube Company and the Andrews-Hitchcock Company of Youngstown, O., which recently purchased 2,500 acres of coal in South Muddy Creek, Washington county, at \$300 per acre, and 1,000 acres at prices ranging from \$30 to \$60 an acre in the same locality, are preparing to begin operations with a large force of men.

Four shafts will be sunk and 1,000 men will be employed. The Waynesburg Engineering & Construction Company has done the preliminary work.

New Record Keeper.

James S. Mansur has been elected Record Keeper of the Knights of the Maccabees.

PUNCH ENDS HERMAN.

Gans Knocks Him Out in Eighth Round With the Greatest Ease.

FIGHT A ONE-SIDED AFFAIR

Negro Slugger Too Much for Chicago Lad—Cold Weather at Tonopah Keeps Crowd Down and Promoters Lose Heavily.

Tonopah, Nov. 2.—Joe Gans, after playing with Herman for eight rounds, landed a full swing on the point of Herman's jaw, and Chicago's favorite fighter went down and out. It was apparent from the start that Herman had little chance. Gans blocked his blows with ease and at no time was worried in the least. In the first round Gans began to feel things out. Herman was willing to fight, but the champion stalled him off. In the second round Gans began to open up. Herman's attempts to land ended mostly in failure.



JOE GANS.

Gans blocked Herman's leads with glove and elbow and when the opportunity presented itself shot right and left jolts to his opponent's face.

The third and fourth rounds were repetitions of the second. It was plainly seen that Herman was the favorite with the crowd. When he landed the crowd cheered wildly. Gans only drew applause when he fought his cleverest.

In the fifth round, Gans having measured his man slowed down. This was the only round where Herman made any showing. He landed in and swing hard rights and lefts at the champion. Gans appeared careless and a number of blows landed. The crowd cheered madly for the Chicagoan.

The sixth and seventh were all Gans. In the eighth Gans started out by feinting and drawing Herman's fire. They dodged around the ring until Gans worked his opponent into a corner. Joe feinted with his left, Herman swung wildly with his left, and gave an opening. Like a flash Gans whipped left and then a ringing right flush on the point of the jaw. Herman dropped like a log with his face buried in his hands. He lay motionless at the edge of the ring. Gans walked away; it was all over.

Nate Lewis ran around the ring to where the Kid lay and begged him to rise, but Herman was senseless. At the count of 10 Lewis and Adam Ryan carried their protégé into his corner, where three minutes elapsed before he came to.

In the second round the men were milling berserk when the gong sounded. Herman stepped back from a clinch. Gans, not hearing the bell, landed a hard right on the neck. The crowd hissed and booted. Gans faced the crowd and made a public apology. Not content with that, Gans went to Herman's corner and explained that he had not heard the gong. Hisses changed to cheers as Gans returned to his seat.

After it was over Herman said: "There is no getting away from it, the best man won. I put up the best fight that was in me against a superior man. I cannot deny that he was the best man and I do not begrudge him the victory."

Gans bore his easily won honors with the best of grace. "It was just as I expected," said the champion.

"I had Herman outclassed. He was game, but he never had a chance to win."

Zero weather prevailed. The blizzard subsided but was succeeded by a cold wind from the north that sent pedestrians scurrying indoors with haste. Occasionally the sun broke through a rift in the clouds but these manifestations were few and far between. The big arena was like a refrigerator and those already within doors were compelled to wear heavy gloves and overcoats. Holders of cheaper tickets huddled together closely and stamped their feet with force in an effort to keep warm. The heat thrown out by the many invisible ovens throughout the building was scarcely felt. The attendance was about 3,000 and it is believed the promoters will lose heavily.

London, Jan. 2.—The remains of Baroness Burdett-Coutts will be buried in Westminster Abbey.

NEW GAS COMPANY.

Wymps Gap Oil & Gas Company Elect Officers.

FAIRCHANCE, Jan. 1.—The stockholders of the Wymps Gap Oil & Gas Company have voted to become a regular chartered organization with a capital stock of \$25,000. This action was taken at the Hotel Laughrey, Saturday afternoon, at which time a temporary organization was formed with Jessie M. Stewart, President; H. V. Rhodes, Vice President; W. A. Rhoades, Secretary, and S. E. Wadsworth, Treasurer. The new company instructed their attorneys, Gans & Jones of Uniontown, to make application for a charter at once. The charter will be taken out under the laws of the State of West Virginia.

The company has about 1,400 acres in the vicinity of Wymps Gap which gives promise of a good gas and oil producing field. This region was tested for oil several years ago and most satisfactory results obtained, but about that time the large production of oil in other parts of the State drew attention away from the Wymps Gap field which includes the Grinnell farm and several others in that locality. The tract is situated in the edge of Preston county, just across the Pennsylvania line. A well will be sunk on the Grinnell farm at once, the parties interested in the new organization are Fayette county people.

TIDBALL RESIGNS.

Trouble in the National Guard Company at Monongahela.

Captain R. L. Tidball has tendered his resignation as Captain of Company A, Tenth Regiment, N. G. P., at Monongahela, and the command has been turned over to First Lieutenant Charles P. Keller. Captain Tidball says there had been some friction in the military relations he has had with the commanding officer of the regiment, Col. James E. Barnett, which had its inception some two years ago over the result of an election held for Company officers. Personal relations have not improved in that time, and a few days ago Captain Tidball sent his resignation to the Colonel of the regiment, who approved it and sent it through the regular channels to the Adjutant General's office at Harrisburg.

Upon the receipt of the resignation, Colonel Barnett directed Lieutenant Keller to take charge of the company and the State property, until such times as an election could be held.

FOR NEW RAILROAD.

First Car Load of Rails Unloaded in Fairchance Borough.

FAIRCHANCE, Jan. 1.—The first car load of steel girder rails for the new Fairchance & Smithfield Electric railroad have arrived here and this week are being unloaded by a large force of men. The rails are to be used in Fairchance Borough and are being strung preparatory to actual construction.

Work along the line is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

Not Entitled to Fees.

Members of the State Constabulary are not entitled to fees for making arrests and serving warrants and subpoenas, according to a recent ruling of Attorney General Carson.

Board of Trade Now.

The Cambria Merchants' Association has been incorporated as the Board of Trade of that city.

Dr. Lloyd Resigns.

Dr. F. E. J. Lloyd has resigned as rector of the Episcopal Protestant Church at Uniontown and will locate in Chicago February 1.

Classified Ads

The Courier brings results. Only one cent a word. Try 'em.

Fellow Citizens of Fayette County.

A mass meeting will be held in the old Opera House, Pittsburgh Street, Connellsville, on Wednesday evening, January 2, at 8 P. M. All interested in law and order, and you will be called upon to decide the following questions:

1. Shall we allow the shooting down of peaceful law-abiding citizens at their own doors by imported men from other States?

2. Shall we countenance the enforcement of our citizens before the courts of Fayette county on perjured testimony?

3. Shall we permit the importation of a lawless element into our peaceable and peace-loving community?

4. Shall we sit idly by while our wives and little ones are insulted at their very doors by these perfidies?

5. Are we free men or are we slaves?

6. Has Washington, Jefferson, Patrick Henry, Samuel Adams, John Hancock and their associates fought in vain?

7. Is the Declaration of Independence a myth?

These are the burning questions to be considered by the citizens of Fayette county in general and Connellsville in particular.

Fellow citizens come and bring your wives and children and learn their

Will we suffer anarchy, insubordination and murder to be perpetrated in our midst. Take heed.

8. In the bad reign of terror and lawlessness, demand the removal of this horde of law-breakers from our midst and peace, harmony and good will will again prevail in our fair Metropolis Refuge, and the end no man sees.

9. Deedee

Opportunities You Have Been Waiting for the Big Store to Announce.

Annual inventory time is now at hand, and we are determined to dispose of every article possible regardless of its cost or value, for stock-taking, for the next seven days, beginning Monday, December 31st, until January 7th. Then we will close our store for three days, January 8, 9 and 10, in order to take a correct inventory, which is our usual custom. During the above mentioned seven days sale record breaking prices will prevail. It will be money saving to you to be here every day during this seven days' sale and get your share of those unheard of values that will rule during this sale beginning

Monday, Dec. 31, Ending Jan. 7, at 6 P. M.

\$1.25 Fancy Silks for 86c.

Lot fancy plaid silks for fancy waists for.....
Lot silks in fancy stripes and checks for.....
Lot plain colored silks, 36 inches wide, for.....
Lot Crepe de Chines, all wanted shades, for.....

86c
47c

\$1.25 Dress Goods for 86c.

Lot Voile dress goods in black, green, brown, tan and gray for.....
Lot Broadcloth in black, blue, brown, tan and grey, for.....
Lot manish mixtures and neat checks and plaids for.....
Lot Pinella cloth, black, blue, dark green, red, grey, for.....

86c
93c

\$1.50 manish novelty all wool dress goods, very suitable for skirts and full suits, in tan, gray and brown, for.....

See Window Display of Overcoats at \$10.80.

**Dress Goods Greatly Reduced
Suitable for Children's School Dresses**

65c Plaid Dress Cloth, in all colors, neat patterns, for.....
75c Shepherd Plaids in black and white, blue and white and brown and white, neat, dressy patterns, for.....
60c Plain, colored and striped effects in Dress Goods for nice, neat, stylish dresses for.....
65c fancy, neat Schallies in floral, striped and dotted effects, for.....
65c Flannel Waistlings in light colors with Fancy stripes and polka-dots, for.....
65c fancy Mohairs, browns, greens, garnets and fancy dotted effects, for.....

**Buy Your Notions Now
and Save Money
During this Seven Day Sale**

75c Plaid Belts for.....
50c Plaid Belts for.....
25c and 35c Plaid Belts for.....
35c fancy back Combs for.....
50c and 75c Back Combs for.....
75c ladies fancy Neckwear for.....
5c ladies Handkerchiefs for.....

17c
36c
17c
21c
38c
42c
3c

5c card Pearl Buttons for.....
15c ladies' fleece lined Hose for.....
25c ladies' fleece lined Hose for.....
15c ladies' Linen Handkerchiefs for.....
50c & 65c ladies' Purses for.....
35c ladies' fancy Neckwear for.....
5c card Safety Pins for.....

2c
10c
19c
8c
38c
25c
3c

**Warm Underwear at
Reduced Prices
For the Next Seven Days**

50c ladies' Shirts and Drawers, fleece lined, for.....
29c boys' heavy fleeced Shirts and Pants, for.....
11c 15c child's seamless Pantie Waists for.....
25c ladies' good grade Shirts and drawers, fleece lined, for.....
19c 25c ladies' Knitted Corset Covers for.....
39c 50c boys' black Union Suits, 7, 8, 9 years for.....

All Ladies' Trimmed Hats at Half Price.

Seven Day Sale of Men's Furnishings.

\$1.00 men's Monarch and Eagle brand shirts, mostly large sizes, for 65c.
\$1.50 Cluett and Eagle brand stiff and soft bosom fancy shirts for 80c.
\$2.50 and \$2.00, Manhattan fancy dress shirts, all sizes, for \$1.50.
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\$2.00 men's soft hats, in black and colors, latest styles, for \$1.40.

\$1.25 men's outing flannel night shirts, in neat and plain colors, for 85c.
75c and 50c men's and boys' good grade outing flannel night gowns, neat stripes and good colors, for 88c.
25c men's all wool light colored hose for 18c.
25c men's black fleece-lined half hose for 18c.
1 table boys' sweaters, \$1.00, \$1.25 values, in plain or fancy colors, for 75c.
50c men's working shirts, 1 table, including all sizes, 14 to 17, for 36c.

12c neat outing flannels in nice new patterns, for Monday, 87c.
15c flannelettes, come in stripes, checks and plaids, very stylish for dressing sacques or kimons, for 11c.
35c eiderdown, in all the newest wanted shades, plain and fancy designs for Monday, 23c.
12c dress ginghams, in neat checks, stripes and plaids, genuine bargains, on sale Monday at 75c.
15c fancy flowered satins in greens, browns, reds, etc., suitable for comforts, Monday, 9c.

65c country flannels, in checks, stripes and plain colors, for Monday, 39c.
15c curtain swisses, in plain white, polka-dots, bow knots, etc. Good fresh goods, for 11c.
12 and 123c bleached and unbleached crash toweling, good even goods, for 83c.
15c fancy crash toweling, in bars, stripes and plaids, extra good values, for 83c.
65c white table damask, comes in all nice patterns and designs, for 49c.

Special Interest to You, Bargains in Every Department.

For Seven Days In Our Ready-to-Wear Department

For seven days we will sell ladies' Suits, Coats, and Furs at prices that have never been equalled by anyone else. Even better than 25% to 50% off, is the inducement that we have to offer.

During This Seven Day Sale

\$2.43	\$1.68	\$3.16	\$1.68
\$2.97	\$2.38		

Ladies' Stylish Hats Underpriced for the Next Seven Days.

100 ladies' stylish Hats for seven days only, 79c. \$5.00 ladies' Hats for this sale \$2.48. \$10.00 ladies' Hats for this sale \$5.00. \$15.00 ladies' Hats, for this sale \$7.50. Balance of entire stock of fine hats, \$20, \$22.50, \$25, \$27.50, \$30, \$35 and \$40 Grades. For seven days only.

ONE-HALF PRICE.

The Big Store MACE & CO. The Big Store

The News of Nearby Towns.**DAWSON.****Live Notes From the Busy Little Town Down the Yough.**

DAWSON, Jan. 1.—Joseph Wright, a P. & L. E. passenger conductor, is home from New York, where he has been to other Eastern cities. Conductor William Durbin had charge of this run during his absence.

Miss Edna Colling of Scottsdale is visiting the home of her cousin Miss Harriet Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Trowbridge have returned home to Rochester, Pa., after spending a few days with the father's parents and with Mrs. Isaac Bush, railroad agent.

Misses Phoebe and Harriet Murphy have returned home from a few days' visit with friends and relatives at Scottsdale.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wood, Mrs. Edgar White and Master Robert and Irene G. Anderson, and Mr. C. W. Anderson and C. P. Thorburn of Connellsville were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blagg.

C. P. Warner saw "The College Widow" at the Colonial Theater, Connellsville, Monday evening.

Joseph Cottom is a Pittsburgh business caller today.

John Lowe was looking after some business matters in the Smoky City Tuesday.

Miss Stella Oglesby of Vanderbilts was calling on Dawson friends Tuesday.

Mr. Harry Carpenter of Connellsville spent Tuesday as the guest of friends and relatives here.

Mrs. Roy Rice of Mountain City, Tenn., was visiting at the home of Mrs. Rita's parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Rice, Griscom street.

Mr. and Mrs. Byres Plunkett and family have returned home from a few days' visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Oberholser, West Va.

James Sherbondy received a car load of fine cattle Tuesday morning from the East Liberty stock yards.

W. H. Allard and wife returned to Connellsville. They after spending a few days here with their family.

Misses Jean Townsend, Katherine McGinnis, Mrs. Carrie Jackson, George Mc. and Mrs. Thomas Leonard, J. S. Laughey, Donald and Bert Porter, Roy Henry, Roy Neville and Harry McDonald saw "The College Widow" at the Colonial Theater, Connellsville, Monday evening.

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VANDERBILT.**Personal Chat From the New Borough Down the Yough.**

VANDERBILT, Jan. 1.—Rev. L. A. Johnson, who for the past year has been pastor of the Christian Church at this place, preached his farewell sermon last Sunday evening. A large crowd was present to listen to the words of him who labored so faithfully with his congregation since coming here a year ago.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Miller, during their stay here, made a large number of friends, who were indeed sorry to see him leave. The church had enjoyed prosperity under his leadership and the members are now in the church.

At the close of his sermon he held a reception and all bade him good-bye. With tears in his eyes he spoke briefly to each member and those who said farewell. He leaves a number of friends here, not only in his own church, but throughout the community, who wish him success in his new field of labor. He left this morning for Nobile, Ala.

Prof. W. H. Johns of the borough schools reports enjoying the teachers' institute at the State Normal School this week. His vacation was spent at his home nine miles south of Dubois.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker of Burgettstown, Washington county, were in Yondu, Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Neymeyer.

A number of members from this place went to Dawson Saturday evening and attended the meeting of the A. F. & O. of M. G. W. M. I. at the hall of the Knights of Columbus. At the close of the session a banquet was served and several members dined.

Mr. and Mrs. George R. Miller of Connellsville was the guest of his mother, Mrs. George Rizer, of East Liberty, Sunday.

The borough schools opened Monday after a two weeks' vacation. The weather is not very cold, but in the afternoon about 30 failing to report for duty. Prof. Johns states that six new pupils were enrolled yesterday morning. He very much hopes that the pupils will manifest a little more interest in the schools, especially in having their children in attendance each day. He asks and should have the hearty cooperation of every parent who has children going to school.

Gibson Harshman, formerly of this place but now living at Ohiopyle, arrived here Monday evening and will be the guest of his brother, Jacob Harshman, for several days.

The regular meeting of Town Council will be held on next Monday evening and as this is the first meeting of the month each and every councilman should not fail in attendance.

SMITHFIELD.**Chatty Letter From the Metropolis of Georges Township.**

SMITHFIELD, Jan. 1.—The old year was hustled out and the new ushered in with a bang, a general roar, ringing of the church bells and blower whistles at the different works near town. All manner of noise producing instruments were used in their jubilations.

T. B. Lynch was transacting business in Uniontown today.

Cameron Sturgis was a caller from the Franklin Furnace.

John Stuck, took charge of the Tele- phone Company's office here this morning as chief operator, vice Catherine O'Neill resigned.

W. H. McSpadden is from Baxter's Ridge this morning.

The Baxter's Ridge Coal & Coke Company have a new dinkum with which to put the coal from their mines at Baxter's Ridge on the roads on the B. & O. just south of town.

James Bixler of West Georges township was transacting business in the borough today.

John C. Neher of Woods' tannery was a business visitor in the borough today.

Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips from out the Georgia road were in the borough transacting some business matters today.

Two of Hamilton & Robbie's teams passed through town on their way to Exchange this morning loaded with jugs from their potters at New Geneva.

The Deputy Sheriff was out today sealing sub judice the injunction case of the Greenbush Gas Company against the Home Gas Company of this place, to be heard before Judge Umber tomorrow.

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CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hustling Town.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. Ziba Burnworth of Johnson Chapel, the parents of William Burnworth, are visiting with the latter's family for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Bellier and daughter Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Burnworth, of Confluence, and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Miller and son, are here from an older New York with Mr. and Mrs. William Burnworth of West Confluence.

Misses James Watson and daughter Carrie and two grandchildren, Jessie and Ralph, took New Year's dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Edger.

Mrs. Dora Leges, who has been in the past few weeks, is sound better at present.

Frank Stark and family of White Corner are visiting at the home of William Groff for a few days.

John and wife, just returned from the James Bradley property in West Confluence.

David Linderman and son Irvin of Meyersdale are visiting the family of George W. Linderman.

George Gitter won the pony that was exchanged on by Henry Cence.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. James Kugler, a ten pound baby girl.

Orville Fink had a business call on the C. & O. March yesterday.

A. C. Miller and family, who have been spending a few days visiting William Burnworth, had family, left for their home. John today, Mr. Miller at one time conducted a tobac factory in Confluence.

Postmaster T. R. Pugh, who slipped on the ice a few days ago, is suffering a great deal of pain from the accident.

C. S. Younkin the ice merchant, who lives half a mile west of town and is a daily caller for The Courier, is spending a few weeks at South Connellsville.

OHIOPYLE.

Notes From the Little Mountain Resort Up the Yough.

OHIOPYLE, Jan. 2.—Lewis McFarland, of the Run was visiting friends Sunday.

J. Stark of this place was a Bear Run business caller yesterday.

The Mercantile Appraiser of Uniontown was engaged here for two hours yesterday.

John Harbaugh of Salt Spring was a caller yesterday.

Misses Star of Super Loup left yesterday for Uniontown, where he expects to spend a few days at home at Frank Stark, who is employed in the B. & O. yards at Connellsville, is spending a few days as the guest of relatives.

Mrs. Irene Bailey left yesterday for Connellsville, where she expects to spend a few days as the guest of relatives.

Wm. B. Smith is on the sick list at the Run.

Wm. B. Smith attended the newsboys' dinner at Connellsville yesterday.

He is feeling rather bad and has moved to Green Brier yesterday.

Frank Woodmansey had his family and household effects moved to the Orendorf house, located on the Duncansburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins of Connellsville are spending a few days at this place as the guests of relatives.

Frank Gentry, our newspaper man, paid the Young Metropolis a short visit yesterday.

Harry Loomis of Confluence was at the guest of relatives.

Wesley Woodmansey of Bear Run was a caller yesterday.

ROCKWOOD.

Bright Paragraphs From the Big Somerset County Paper.

ROCKWOOD, Jan. 2.—Miss Katherine Hammon has returned to the California State Normal School to finish up her last year, after spending her vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Hammon, of East Main street.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Welsch, which died on Sunday, was buried Monday at the New Cemetery.

John J. Wadsworth of Somersdale, one of Somerset county's able representatives, was in town Sunday on his way to the city, where he is now engaged in law making.

A course of D. B. & O. civil engineers, under the leadership of Field Marshal P. B. Chaffman, arrived at this place yesterday and will remain here until Saturday, when they expect to return to Salt Lake City.

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NEWSBOYS' DINNER.

Boys Who Sold Over 250,000 Courier's Entertained
by T. H. Rutherford,

WHO IS THE SCOTTDALE AGENT.

Popular Newsdealer and Stationer Gives His Annual Dinner at De Haven's to the Lively Boys Who Sell the Newspapers—Other News of the Mill Town.

SCOTTDALE, Jan. 2.—It may astonish you, but it is a fact, that the boys that gather here as the guests of Thomas H. Rutherford, the stationer and newsdealer of Scottdale, at his annual dinner, sold over a quarter of a million copies of the Connellsville Courier in Scottdale during the year of 1906. And they will do even better in the year of 1907. The Courier comes out every day and the lads that sell are a hustling lot. The Courier is read, and read closely, every day by Scottdale people.

The dinner was a great one. It was held at Dennis Doyle's dining room on Broadway, and lasted all of Tuesday evening, and this popular place was the scene of much jollity. The menu was one that was specially prepared for the appreciative appetites of boys, and they one and all did ample justice, tempered with little more, upon the layout. Nearly all of them took something home, for there was no lack of supply. The law of demand was strictly lived up to.

Mr. Rutherford is a popular employer and the boys stick by him loyally, and he ascertains not a small part of his big business to the activity of his army of newsboys. He was assisted in entertaining by his right hand man, Justus Simpson, who aids him in conducting the big stationery store and directs the carriers and makes the weekly collections. There were a few newspaper guests present, and the newsboys who were there included Gallagher, Frank Gallagher, Bell, Benner, Andrews, James Quinlan, W. Quinlan, Quinn, Nelson, C. Kistner, J. Kistner, W. Kistner, H. Gillespie, William Gillespie, Al. Hamilton, Cafferty, Campbell, Meader, Lovelady and Ebung.

Several Scottdale people are in Mt. Pleasant this afternoon attending the funeral of Y. M. Yother, who died there from kidney trouble, aged about 60 years. Mr. Yother is survived by his widow, who is a sister of H. W. Stauffer of Scottdale, and a daughter of Mrs. Susan Stauffer, and the info. John T. Stauffer of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. Yother was a veteran school teacher, and three grown children also survive, Miss Anna Yother, Frank and Clyde Yother.

The annual reception and entertainment by the Y. M. C. A. held on Tuesday evening surpassed all previous ones. The reception headed by President James McClellan and with the following reception committee, Robert Stemp, F. L. Brown, Howard Engle, J. H. Milian, Homer Craft, James Graham and H. G. Walker, took place early in the evening. There was an art display under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary that was interesting and amusing, and refreshments were served by the Young Ladies' Committee. The following local people were on an interesting program: Ray V. Roestel and Reesa B. Davis, mandolin duet; Miss Lida Burkhil, mezzo soprano solo; Miss Frances Cupp, piano solo; Elmer Morroy, baritone solo; Mrs. R. F. Graham and W. J. Durrell, violin and flute duet; J. R. Ray Schwartzendreuter, tenor solo; E. A. Hurnikas, piano solo, and Mrs. C. Frank Kelly and J. Ray Schwartzendreuter, vocal duet. The evening closed with a splendid entertainment of music and dancing by the Silke & Moore company from the Brooklyn Circus. There was a large audience present and Secretary W. F. Grindell and Physical Director H. W. Sherrill complimented much on their work.

The following men at Painter works contributed to the presents given: Superintendent Herbert Boyd, who was transferred from Painter the first of the year to Adelaide, where he succeeded James A. Cliffe as Supervisor; John Kough, P. G. Latman, John Mulligan, Harry Brothers, Thomas Kesse, Oscar Sweeney, Oliver Reiss, Charles Pabel, Harry Grinn, John Beleman, Henry Vahel, George Boeler, George Bowman, Sr., John Diville, Benjamin Pearson, John Budner, John Bowman, Martha Luboty, George Bowman, Jr., Andy Malinki, Charles Clark, William Atsley, Miss Nannie Jones, Leroy Keffer, Walter Smith, Clark Gahd, Elmer Smith, Joe Larko, Andy McGaugh, Frank Washabaugh, Joe Moleski, Robert Rischberger, Joe Liven, and Charles English.

CALLAHAN FOR SHERIFF.

Former Westmoreland Co. Statesman After Office in Washington Co. Edward Callahan, the "Shoebuster" (orator) of Charleroi, formerly a resident of Scottdale, and a member of the Legislature from Westmoreland county, has announced himself as a candidate for Sheriff of Washington county.

Callahan announces on the Democratic ticket. The unusual thing about the filing of his petition is the fact that the primary in Washington for the nomination for Sheriff will not be held until next June and it would not be necessary to file such a petition for a long time yet. Callahan evidently wants in on the ground floor.

Don't forget to order a copy of The Sunday Courier from your carrier.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live Local News From All Parts of the Town.

Long Bros. Closing out sale of Department Store, which had been 30 days to do it in. First here first served.

Wifred and Lee Morris and Warren Morris returned to Morgantown, W. Va., this morning, where they will assume the duties at the West Virginia University after spending the Christmas holidays at their home here.

Mr. Lewellyn Williams of Morgantown was the guest of friends here on Tuesday.

Mrs. P. S. Newmyer of South Pittsburg returned home yesterday from Pittsburgh where she was guest of her son, Attorney Thomas C. Newmyer.

Mrs. Frank Jeffries of Pittsburgh had a visit to friends and relatives.

Mr. J. A. Adams of Rockwood is the guest of friends and relatives in town.

Mrs. J. U. K. McDee of Scottdale was shopping in town Tuesday.

Miss Mary Jane Evans of Morgantown was the guest of friends in town Tuesday. Miss Evans was formerly a clerk for Mace & Company.

Warren Douglas of the Douglas Building in Pittsburgh was here from McKeesport on business.

Miss Clara Shonecker of Mt. Pleasant has returned home after a visit with friends in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Campbell of Connellsville, Mr. G. Conditon came to New York Tuesday to take up a course of outpatient treatment at Drs. L. C. and A. P. Neumann.

A regular magazine free every week with the Philadelphia Sunday Press—short stories, novels, pictures; better than most weekly newspapers and equal to the Sunday editions of the nation's best papers. All the news. Buy the Press every day in the year, you get all that's worth having.

Mrs. Richard Campbell of Pittsburgh is the guest of her son, Mr. J. Campbell of Third street, New Haven.

The South Connellsville W. C. T. U. will hold a meeting tomorrow afternoon at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Shelleh on Pine street.

C. B. Gorsuch, Trahona, on the Pittsburgh division of the B. & O. railroad headquarters yesterday morning after several days with friends in the East.

Edward Emery, ticket agent at the P. & O. and Western lines passenger office, Pittsburg, has returned after a few days in Connellsville.

Miss Grace Moore of Dawson was calling on friends in town Tuesday. She returned home Tuesday evening after a visit with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Carty, of South Prospect street. They were accompanied by Miss Dorothy Carty, 16, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carty.

Dr. S. D. Woods & Son, Dentists, First National Bank Building, Pittsburg, presented to Crown and bridge work to the school.

James Cooley of Greensburg was in town Tuesday.

Mr. William Knott of Pittsburgh is returning to his sister, Mrs. H. Hoover and Mrs. Mrs. Joseph Dixon of East Main street.

Donald L. via of Keyser, W. Va., has returned to his sister, Mrs. H. Hoover and Mrs. Mrs. Joseph Dixon of East Main street.

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OPPORTUNITY.

Be Prepared to Meet It When It Comes.

It is said that opportunity, knocks once at every man's door. Don't let it knock at yours in vain. Get ready to meet it now by opening a savings account with The Citizens National Bank of Connellsville, where every dollar you deposit will earn 4 per cent. interest.

Wants Better Representation.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 1.—(Special)—

Congressman E. F. Acheson suggests that Pennsylvania have two members on the Rivers and Harbors Committee.

He is a member of the committee and thinks another member should be appointed from Philadelphia. There are two vacancies on the committee this year.

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HAPPY SURPRISE.

Given Robert Mathews by Welsh Church of South Connellsville.

On New Year's eve the Welsh Church of South Connellsville gave a surprise on Robert Mathews and the home of the pastor, Rev. Richard Powell, in appreciation of Mr. Mathews' services to the church during the year past. He was presented with a five dollar bill and an expensive shaving cabinet, together with a silver shaving cup and brush.

The presents are the good feeling of the church are right, valued by the recipient. Refreshments were served and an enjoyable evening was spent.

RECEIPTS INCREASED.

Postal Business at the Local Office for the Last Quarter of the Calendar Year Was Good.

The receipts of the Connellsville postoffice for the quarter ending on December 31, 1906, were very large. For the sale of stamps there was also in \$7,575.11; newspaper postage \$75.24; box rents, \$116.25. The total was \$7,757.30. The receipts for the same quarter in 1905 were \$6,666.11 or \$1,131.16 less than the receipts for the quarter just ended.

The receipts taken in by Postmaster Clark Coffin for the month of December just ended are \$2,089.92, which was an increase of \$116.11, compared with the receipts of the same month last year.

KNIFE BETWEEN RIBS

Was Steward's New Year's Gift From Resentful Miss Bo.

New York, Jan. 2.—The atmosphere Connellsville livened with raw sugar, doctored at the place of the Federal sugar refinery at Yonkers, with a signal flying saying that the police were wanted. Officers sent found C. Smith Stewart, John Anderson, with a table knife sticking between his ribs, the point in his left hand. The mess boy, James Ober, 16 years old, a Portage, was in town. Anderson, who is said to be fatally wounded, was sent to the hospital and Ober locked up.

As the Carmelina was en her way up the Hudson river supper was being made ready. There was a dispute between the steward and the mess boy and the steward retorted in a way that led to Stewart stabbing Ober, sprawling into the corner. The latter, it is alleged, jumped up, grabbed a knife from a locker and plunged it into Anderson's side.

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Men's Shoes \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$5.00.

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Sell Good Shoes Cheap.

Individual Responsibility \$1,000,000.00.

Look Ahead

Now is the time to provide for the future—

You can't tell when your salary may cease—

Save something out of every pay, and put that something where it will work for you 24 hours every day in the year—

We pay 4 per cent. interest on savings—

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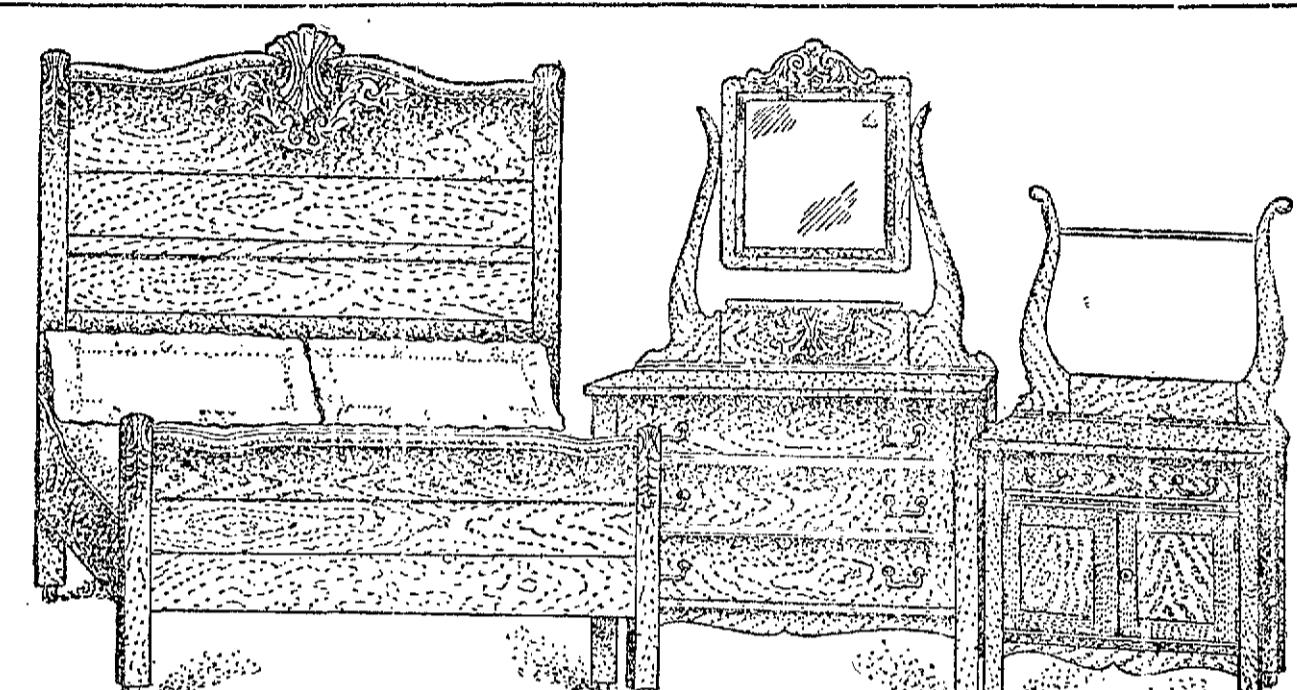
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Big January Clearance Sale

Original price tags are on all goods throughout our seven spacious floors, MARKED IN PLAIN FIGURES. 25% discount from these figures for EVERYBODY. Positive clean sweep of all broken lots, incomplete sets and odd pieces of furniture at prices as low as factory cost.

GREATER THAN ANY WE HAVE EVER ATTEMPTED, BECAUSE—

The assortments are greater, our purchases during the year having been tremendous. The qualities are absolutely the best our money could buy, and that is saying the last word in buying. The prices are reduced to the lowest notch, because we want quick action and plenty of it. Your credit is just as good, and you are just as welcome to it as though you paid us our regular prices. The goods on sale here would stock two fair-sized stores themselves.



\$25 Bed Room Suite, 3 Pieces, Sale Price, \$17.50

Made of Hard Wood, large size Mirror, best workmanship throughout, hand-rubbed polish finish. One of the best values ever offered to you in a 3-piece Bed Room Suite. Delivered to your home on our generous credit terms.

Dining Room Furniture.

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From Westmoreland's County Seat.

GREENSBURG, Jan. 1.—The annual New Year's parade of the Greater Greensburg fire department was not so much of a success as it has been in former years. Poor committee work is blamed for this. Lieutenant Harry Powell of Connellsville brought a platoon of Company D to participate in the parade. The Connellsville boys were consolidated with Company I, under Captain Wade T. Kline. The first division of the parade, the principal in which was the Jeannette contingent, was as big as ever, and crowded much fun along the line of march.

D. C. Ogden, one of Westmoreland county's most widely known attorneys, who was appointed upon the Westmoreland Hospital for appendicitis, spent a restless night, and chances for his recovery are not good. He had reached the dangerous stage of appendicitis before the Chief Surgeon, Montgomery, of the Postgraduate Hospital in Pittsburgh, and three local surgeons, operated upon him. Mr. Ogden has a very strong constitution, but it is feared that he cannot weather his present very serious condition.

Fifteen Minute Schedule.

Today's feature of the fight between the P. M. & G. and West Penn railways is the announcement that hereafter the "Bunker Hill" car of the former company will run from its former stopping place at Green street junction on through to Haydonville. This will give fifteen minute service to the big industrial section south of here, and will offset the lower rates offered by the West Penn company, as the territory involved is within the five cent fare limit. Whether or not the P. M. & G. will offer a five cent fare to Youngwood has not yet been decided, although it is rumored that such will be the case.

The insurance companies doing business in Greensburg will ask in the near future for more fire hydrants, a steamer for the fire department and paid firemen. If these are not forthcoming there will be a general raise in insurance rates in the town. This statement was given out after twenty insurance adjusters got together at the plant of the Westmoreland Grocer Company to settle a big claim for damages resulting from the recent fire which nearly destroyed that property. Greensburg has enjoyed an exceedingly low fire rate for a number of years, but unless the improvements are granted the raise may be sudden and high.

At the County Home.

The annual report of Superintendent A. P. Darr of the County Home, given out today, shows a decrease from 229 to 212 from January 1, 1906. The report also shows an increase in the number of foreign inmates to the institution. During the year 561 persons were admitted and cared for. Two hundred and thirty-five indigent persons are cared for in other institutions, most of them being insane patients in the Dixmont asylum.

The increasing number of insane in the local home is an argument in favor of a new insane department, which has been recommended by a Grand Jury several times within the past two years. The present facilities are entirely inadequate for taking care of the insane, especially those who are affected violently.

Stole the Whistle.

Night Preman Rohrbacher of the county jail planned a surprise for Sheriff Seaver for New Year's night, bells and waited till the stroke of 12 to blow it. The end of the old year and the beginning of the new came. A medley of bells and whistles broke loose in Greensburg, but the jail noise was missing. Some of the jail attaches had quietly stolen the whistle off its pipe after night fell, and the big head of steam Rohrbacher had prepared whizzed harmlessly out on the night air. Next time, he says, he will blow the whistle up in jail before 12 o'clock comes.

BRIDGEPORT

Newy Cleanings From the Little Westmoreland Town.

BRIDGEPORT, Dec. 31.—Miss Anna Weaver spent Sunday with friends.

George Grant, member of Room No. 1, gave his pupils a New Year's treat consisting of candy and oranges. The children were delighted.

Mrs. Oliver McCrory and Miss Campbell of Indianapolis, called on Judge and Mrs. Floyd Bradton.

Judge and Mrs. Floyd Bradton of Greensburg spent Sunday with friends.

Mrs. Zetta Baird of Kiski is spending the day with her grandchildren, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Sullenberger.

Mrs. William Carson is on the sick list.

Miss Mary Hayes of Mt. Pleasant made a brief call in Stauffer.

Mrs. Caylor of Scottdale spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Reuben Lane.

Charles Sleigh and wife of Uniontown spent Sunday with Robert Bell and wife.

William Sullenberger of Vanderbilts is visiting friends at this place.

Miss Hattie of Mt. Pleasant called on her mother, Mrs. John Hattie.

Mrs. Maude Freeman of this place was calling on George Stonecker last evening.

Mrs. Rose Gonney was a Stauffer customer yesterday.

John Freeman was a Scottdale caller last evening.

George Queer was a Mt. Pleasant customer yesterday.

Mrs. Sybil Innesburg was shopping in Greenburg Monday.

Mrs. Woods of Fairchance is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Reese.

Another Judge Overrules Congress. Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 2.—Judge McCall of the federal court declared the La Follette fellow servants act unconstitutional. The action was that of Danville Howard against the Illinois Central railroad company. A special representative of the department of justice at Washington argued the case for the government.

WESTMORELAND

Real Estate Transfers and Other News.

From the Court Records.

Jas. W. Fisher to John E. Turner, land in Bunker Hill township, \$1,000, November 26, 1906.

Jas. W. Fisher to John E. Turner, land in Rostraver township, \$3,000, November 26, 1906.

Taylor W. Fisher to John E. Turner, land in Rostraver township, \$2,000 November 26, 1906.

John W. French to Celeste Petree, land in North Washington, \$1,250, October 15, 1906.

David Kist to J. A. Kist, lot in Derry, \$100, December 20, 1906.

Charles French to John Sheep, land in East Huntingdon township, \$1,300, December 20, 1906.

Martin Woods to Lewis R. Highberger, lot in Greensburg, \$1,000, June 7, 1906.

Samuel McMillen to Miriam C. Johnson, lot in Vandergrift, \$1,000, November 22, 1906.

Charles French to Mary J. Rodgers, land in Unity township, \$2,000, August 18, 1906.

John Weaver to Martin J. Stimmel, land in Latrobe, \$2,250, December 7, 1906.

North Plate Land Company to Catherine Geiger, lot in Scottdale, \$425, October 1, 1906.

John F. Fodell to Catherine Geiger, lot in Scottdale, \$700, August 1, 1906.

C. E. Brown to A. F. Kist, lot in Youngwood, \$375, August 1, 1906.

Wilson Coal Company to Mary M. Price, lot in North Belle Vernon, \$1,000, February 1, 1906.

Marriage Licenses.

Frank N. Jones of Irwin and Elizabeth M. Darr of Uniontown, both of whom are residents of Mt. Pleasant and the Director of Mt. Pleasant and Sude D. Young of Elvira.

John Porter and Dema C. Miller, both of Pittsburgh.

Death Licenses.

Matthew Mahany and Linda Allibone, both of Uniontown, and John and Sarah A. Chisholm of Scottdale.

Wm. E. Fisher and Jenie Christensen, both of German township, and John and Anna Schaeffer, both of Uniontown, and John and Anna Grinn of Scottdale.

W. Frank Gries and Margaret Leenard, both of Uniontown.

Resident Rates to Harrisburg.

A recent inauguration Governor elect Stuart, via Pennsylvania railroad ticket, cost January 22, \$1.15, good returning until January 16, inclusive, from all stations in Pennsylvania. Cost next nearest ticket agent, June 29-12.

Classified Advertisements.

In The Courier cost only one cent a word. They bring results. Try them.

Monotony Leads To Insanity

Too much excitement—too much monotony. Both extremes are fatal to the nervous system.

Diseases of the nerves often result from the excessive mental work and worry and the strife and tumult of city life.

But monotony leads to the paralysis, the languor, the apathy and the insanity which comes frequently to the farmer or his wife living in rural sections, or to persons who work with machinery? It is the monotony.

Whatever your circumstances, it is wise to be alert for symptoms which denote diminished nervous energy, indolence, loss of appetite and weakness of body and mind, and to begin at once the use of Dr. A. W. Chase's Nervous Pills.

Science has no more effective treatment to offer as a means of restoring vigor and vitality to a worn-out nervous system than Dr. A. W. Chase's Nervous Pills. Box, 6 boxes for \$2.50, at all dealers, for Dr. A. W. Chase, Med. Co., Buffalo, N. Y. The portrait and signature of Dr. A. W. Chase, the famous receipt-book author, are on every box.

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it strengthens and vitalizes

With old age comes feebleness and loss of power; the organs act more slowly and less effectively; the blood is thin, sluggish and watery; digestion is weak and food is not assimilated as it used to be.

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Vinol contains all the medicinal elements of oil liver oil in a concentrated form, taken from fresh, cold liver, the useless oil eliminated and potency added.

It is because we know so well of what Vinol is made that we offer to return money if it fails to benefit E. Mark H. Dugist.

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That I will remove, as far as possible, the temptation to spend money thoughtlessly, by having a Checking Account and paying all bills by check—

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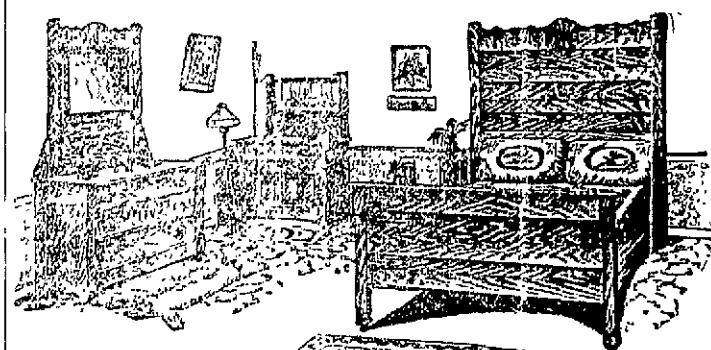
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IN SOCIAL CIRCLES.

Fifth Anniversary.
Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Maratta were host and hostess at a 6 o'clock dinner Monday evening at their home in the Maratta Apartments, North Pittsburg street. The affair, which was in honor of their fifth wedding anniversary, was prettily appointed in every detail. Covers were laid for 25, including only the members of the two families.

A Home Wedding.
A very prettily appointed home wedding was that of Miss Clara Ervin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Ervin, and Buchanan Rudolph, son of B. F. Rudolph, a well known South Side merchant, which occurred Tuesday evening at the home of the bride on Eighth street. Rev. H. D. Rudolph, a brother of the groom officiated. Miss Irene Cessell of Broad Ford attended the bride, while C. C. Rudolph acted as best man.

The ceremony was followed by a wedding dinner. The decorations were carried out in the color scheme of red and white, the lights being softened with red shades, while cut flowers were used throughout the apartments on the lower floor. Later in the evening the happy couple were serenaded by the Dunbar band, of which the groom is a member. The bride and groom are a well known couple of town. Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph left this morning for an Eastern trip, after which they will be at home to their many friends on South Pittsburg street.

A Family Reunion.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Curry, Sr., on South Prospect street, was the scene of a very enjoyable family reunion held on New Year's day. The feature of the day was a handsomely appointed turkey dinner served at 12 o'clock. The following children were present: Mrs. Stanley Jackson of McKeesport, Mrs. F. C. Bishop and three children of Morgantown, Mrs. James Wilson and sons of Uniontown and J. C. Curry, Jr., of Mabie, W. Va.

Scottdale Marriage.
Miss Jane Sherwood of Scottdale and Harry Dawson of town were married Tuesday morning at 7:30 o'clock at the home of the bride. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of blue silk and carried a bouquet of carnations. The wedding march was played by Miss Beagle. Mr. and Mrs. Dawson will live on South Prospect street.

Rebekah's Sixth Anniversary.
The sixth anniversary of Edna Rebekah Lodge No. 32, I. O. O. F., was fittingly celebrated Tuesday evening in the Odd Fellows' Hall. Sixty members were in attendance. The earlier part of the evening was devoted to the regular routine business of the lodge, at the close of which the following program was carried out: Vocal solo, Mrs. M. O. Goodwin; reading, "The Old Water Mill," Miss Elizabeth Clington; duet, Mrs. Mary Bryson and Mrs. Ida Hostetter of Dunbar, the latter responding to an encore; recitation, "Look Pleasant," Miss Edith Smith, followed by short addresses by R. M. Vance and J. W. Stanford; recitation, "Little Tom," Miss Jennie Holt, District Deputy of the county.

The program as a whole was a most enjoyable one, at the close of which the members of the lodge adjourned to the armory hall, where an elegant luncheon was served, after which the remainder of the evening was spent in a delightful social manner.

McDougal's Dance is Off.
Prof. McDougal's dance to have been held this evening in Engle's Hall has been postponed to next Wednesday evening.

Misses Brickman to Entertain.
The Misses Brickman will entertain the South Side Fancy Work Club Friday evening at their home on East Main street.

Annual Christmas Treat.
The annual Christmas treat and entertainment of the Christian Sunday School was held Tuesday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the church on South Pittsburg street. An excellent musical and literary program was carried out, at the close of which Santa Claus distributed to each person present the annual Christmas treat of chocolate bonbons. The treat this year was the finest ever given by the Sunday School. The church was prettily decorated with Christmas greens. One of the features of the affair was the presentation of a purse to Rev. C. M. Watson, the pastor, made up by a number of the prominent men of the church.

ALCAZAR BEAUTIES.

Fine Burlesque Company Will Be at Colonial This Evening.

James F. Leonard, a comedian of repute, will appear with the "Alcazar Beauties" at the Colonial Theatre tonight. The beauties will give full scope to Mr. Leonard and to the large and expertly selected company. Over a score of handsome young show beauties comprise the chorus and are well drilled in the marches, dances and concerted bits in which they take part. Among these numbers are the Bathing Girls, Dancing Girls, Red Sourettes, Burlesque Boys, Quaker Girls and an elaborate march. The vaudeville and musical acts are numerous and good.

Two Boys Discharged.
Two boys have been formally released from the Huntington reformatory. They are Samuel Morris, who was paroled June 21, 1906, to Wiant & Young of Connellsville, and Averell Homick, who was paroled June 27, 1906, to James A. Provan of Mason-town.

Successful Operation.
William Davis, the nine-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davis of North Pittsburg street, was successfully operated on for throat trouble Monday by Dr. W. J. Bailey and Dr. J. F. Kerr.

CHANGE OF FEELING.

Englishmen Are Beginning to Criticize President Roosevelt.
LONDON, Jan. 2.—[Special]—An astonishing change of feeling toward President Roosevelt on the part of Englishmen is making itself evident in signs which are not to be mistaken. When he first entered the White House, English newspapers regarded Roosevelt as one of the foremost figures of the world.

The first indication of changing feelings came when the President announced himself favoring spelling reform. Since then numerous criticisms have been printed, culminating today in a long article in the Morning Post, which is remarkably outspoken in its criticism of the head of a friendly nation.

HOLDING CONFERENCE.

Department of Justice Official from Washington at Waynesburg.

WAYNESBURG, Jan. 2.—[Special]—Judge Oldham of the Department of Justice at Washington, arrived here today and went immediately to the wrecked Farmers' bank where he held conference with Receiver Cluntingham and Attorney Trimble. Messengers were then sent for former Cashier Rinehart and seven prominent residents here, who were heavy borrowers from the bank. Rinehart was the first to arrive and a very important conference is now being held that may speedily bring affairs of the bank to a focus.

A NARROW ESCAPE.

Woman Attempts to Assassinate St. Louis Judge.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 2.—[Special]—Apparently incensed at his recent decision in the partition suit of the estate of her mother, Auguste Well, Miss Rosa Well attempted to assassinate Judge Jesse A. McDonald today. Miss Well's aim was unsteady and the bullet went wild, but passed dangerously near to Judge McDonald's head. The judge showed wonderful composure and ordered her taken to the private office of the Sheriff. Then he resumed hearing court motions.

INQUEST BEGUN.

In B. & O. Wreck at Terra Cotta, Where 45 Were Killed.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Special]—Coroner Nevitt today began an inquest at Municipal Hall to ascertain the responsibility for the disastrous wreck on the Baltimore & Ohio railroad Sunday evening at Terra-Cotta, in which 45 people lost their lives and nearly double that number were injured. Many witnesses were called. The taking of testimony will occupy the entire day. The Interstate Commerce Commission investigation of the wreck will begin Friday morning.

MCREA ELECTED.

President of the Pennsylvania Railroad by Directors This Morning.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 2.—[Special]—James McCreary, formerly Vice President of the Pennsylvania Railroad in charge of the lines west of Pittsburgh, was elected President of the company to succeed the late J. C. Cassatt. The choice was made at a special meeting of the Board of Directors held here this morning.

ONLY \$10.00.

Appropriated for Expenses of the Governor's Inauguration.

HARRISBURG, Jan. 2.—[Special]—A sub-committee of the joint Legislative Committee, to prepare for the inauguration of Governor-elect Stuart, went to Philadelphia today to confer with him.

Only \$10,000 was appropriated for the expenses of the inauguration.

HIGHWAYMAN KILLS.

Victim He Tried to Hold Up and Who Chased Him.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Special]—After chasing a highwayman a mile, who had attempted to hold him up early this morning, the fugitive turned upon James Caley and faintly stabbed him. He made good his escape through the crowd. The murder occurred in the Bronx.

GONE TO BATTLE CREEK.

James W. Howard will leave this evening for Battle Creek, Mich., where he will take treatment for several weeks for nervous prostration. Mr. Howard has been in ill health for some time and his many friends hope he will return a new man physically.

FOUR TRACKS COMPLETED.

The work of building four tracks between Pittsburg and McKeesport on the B. & O. has been completed. Eventually two additional tracks are to be built through to Connellsville and the Fairmont branch is to be double-tracked.

OUT AGAIN.

Borough Treasurer J. W. Rutter is out again after a long siege of sickness. Mr. Rutter has been confined to his home for several weeks past.

BABY GIRL ARRIVES.

A bouncing baby girl arrived this morning at the home of Dr. and Mrs. L. P. McCormick of North Pittsburg street.

A NEW HELLO GIRL.

A baby girl came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Berg, Snyder street, early this morning.

DR. SEELEY IS ILL.

Dr. W. G. Seeley, the local dentist, is confined to bed with a slight touch of pneumonia.

ALL MILLINERY AT HALF PRICE.

BUYING POWER BRINGS BARGAIN VALUE.

ALL CUT GLASS AT 1/4 OFF REGULAR PRICES

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WE JUMP from the holiday hurly-burly into a week full of special merchandising of rather extraordinary character. Every day will have its own story to tell. Each day will unfold matters of stirring interest to our public. There are radical price cuts in Men's and Boys' Overcoats, Women's Suits and Waists. Extraordinary reductions throughout the Millinery Department and innumerable other items that will interest the thrifty who are in a position to profit by these splendid offerings.

Price Upheavals in Women's Suits

Heavy Winter Shoes for Men and Women \$1.98

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Present indications and all signs point to a hard winter on shoes and an exceptionally hard one on poorly protected feet. Of course during the worst of the storm you'll be wearing rubbers or arctics, but as soon as the streets are cleared you'll want to be rid of these cumbersome things and proper protection and regard for your health require that you have heavy, warm leather shoes,

This offering deals with just this kind of shoes. We tell you that they are \$2.50 and \$3.00 shoes. We mean just that. Every leather, in lace and blucher styles.

And instead of the heavy, clumsy models you have known in the past, you'll find neat, stylish footwear, yet absolutely protective.

See Our Display in Vestibule Case.

Here is a Remarkable Offer in Young Men's Overcoats



From the ages of 14 years to 20 years. These are the young fellows that this announcement will interest and when we say that these overcoats in the larger sizes are being sold to men every day—men we mean that measure 34 to 36 about the chest. We pay the highest tribute possible to the perfection of style and desirability of fabrics for men between the ages of 25 and 30 are even more critical than the younger fellow. So much for style.

Our entire collection of Young Men's Overcoats at One-third Off the regular prices is the announcement that will bring hundreds of critical young fellows here during the week beginning December 28th.

They'll come, not only because of the extreme reductions, but every dressy youth in this district knows how dependably correct are Wright-Metzler fashions for youth or men. Our stock includes fancy cheviots, Scotch mixed overcoating, in both loose, long models or the french form fitting overcoats that find favor with many.

How the Prices Read Now

The old price \$7.50, now... \$4.75 | The old price \$12.00, now... \$8.00
The old price \$8.00, now... \$5.33 | The old price \$12.50, now... \$8.33
The old price \$8.50, now... \$5.75 | The old price \$15.00, now... \$10.00
The old price \$10.00, now... \$6.66 | The old price \$18.00, now... \$12.00

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Three Wash Day

Leather Hand Bags

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Specials.

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19c.

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Soaps are the bargain contribution of our Basement Store, and nothing appeals to the careful house-wife more than Laundry Soap at a concession. These special prices are but for two days, Monday and Tuesday. So buying must be quickly done. We cannot fill orders by phone at these prices, as the radical price cuts are made for the sole purpose of inducing a visit to our basement department. The prices:

Pearl Laundry Soap 8 bars for 25c
Fairy Soap 8 bars for 25c
Gold Dust, full size, per box 15c

Values here from 25c to 75c, and every conceivable kind of stock collar is here, from the plain inexpensive ones at 50c to the elaborate ones fitted with mirrors, card cases, powder puffs and watches \$8.00. Envelope bags, variety bags, satchel bags, in fact every description of wanted bag at just half their value, and remember Wright-Metzler Co.'s regular prices are always well below competitive offerings, which make this price on this collection still more important.

We direct special attention to the fact that our entire collection of furs and fur garments are now radically reduced in price forming a desirable opportunity to secure furs for the balance of the present season and with a view to future usefulness, economies are marked.

Rustling

Silk Petticoats

The swish-swish of the Silk Petticoat denotes a woman of style in itself for there isn't a woman in this whole wide land of ours who makes any pretense toward stylish attire but that possesses at least one of these most desirable of undergarments.

This offering deals with fine Petticoats of our best selling numbers; high quality taffeta, perfectly tailored and handsomely designed.

This is the way we've underpriced them for this week or until the supply is exhausted.

At \$3.95

Silk Petticoats, in black taffeta, worth \$6.50

At \$6.50

Every Silk Petticoat in the house that regularly sold at \$8.50

At \$7.50

All of our \$10 Silk Petticoats at \$7.50 for this week

At \$9.50

Every Silk Petticoat in stock that formerly sold at \$12.

Cotton

Blankets

45 cents is the price of a pair of these useful bed coverings as long as they last. About fifty pairs to begin the sale. These are admirable coverings for these cold nights, much pleasanter to sleep between a pair of these warm cotton blankets than cold muslin sheets.

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